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The Marshall Plan

Russia May Join. lalks

London, June 22. Diplomatic quarters in London believed that Russia might accept conditionally the invitation of Britain and France to a three-power conference on means of taking advantage of the Marshall plan to aid

Europe. The Foreign Office spokesman said no reply had been received from Moscow, although one was expected daily. The Anglo-French invitation suggested a conference this week. but the Foreign Office denied published reports that it had requested a

reply by Monday, Close students of Soviet policy believed Russin would agree to participate, in the Marshall plan provided it was worked on in conjunction; with invited nations and that conditions under which American funds were made available proved acceptable.

FOUR FACTORS

Speculation was based on these 1. A report in the usually well-

informed Sunday newspaper, The Observer, said that Generalissimo Stalln had been conferring_recently with Mr Ivan Maisky, former Soviet Ambassador to London and known advocate of closer co-operation with the Western powers.

2. Russia badly needs economic assistance to help her own recovery from the war. that there had been a "marked in- crease.

3. Poland, Czechoslovakla and Yugoslavin-Russia's "satellites"-are vrease", in absenteeism among Yorkreported to be exerting pressure on shire miners, and that their weekly.

Moscow to accept. 4. Russia's only official reference reached in any week. to the Marshall plan—a Tass dispatch on Friday night confirming recelpt of the Anglo-French invitation -significantly said the question of Soviet participation was being considered by the government and did not reject it outright.

NEWSPAPER: COMMENT Observer, in reporting nationalised mines.

Stalin'a conference with Maisky,

"It is learned on reliable authority miners and the clerical workers, that, at a moment when Russian who want to negotiate their own foreign policy stands at the first wages and conditions. The miners' parting of ways since the Kremlin union is attempting to organise the abandoned Litvinov's collective security line and concluded its pact with Hitler, two men who have conducted all dealings with the outside world since that fateful decision are

It said the Foreign Minister. Vyacheslav Molotov, "tired and overworked," was about to take a holiday.—United Press.

out of action."

Six Drowned When Tug Capsizes

Flushing, Holland, June 22, Six British seamen were drowned today when the tug "Fair Play" capsized off Flushing Straits. The four survivors of the crew of ten are now in hospital here.—Reuter.

TO many the only contentious

A aspect of Government's future

plans for the Colony's bathing

beaches is the decision to pro-

hibit private sheds anywhere but

on rocky headlands. That this is

in keeping with a carefully de-

signed, though hitherto only hint-

ed policy, will not necessarily as-

suage the outraged feelings of

those who feel they should con-

tinue to enjoy the same private

facilities for bathing as before

challenge a policy which seeks to

provide equal opportunities for

all to share in one of Hongkong's

comparatively few public ameni-

ties is likely to gain but limited

support. The long-term policy as

disolosed in yesterday's official

statement is certain to meet with

reneral approval, if only be-

cause it frees the beaches from

the old-time shackles of privilege

and exclusiveness. Government.

has given approval to most of

the recommendations of the UDC

committee which sat to consider

the future of our bathlag beaches.

war. Nevertheless.

Bathing

EDITORIAL

Tanker Blows Up: 20 Killed

Long Beach, California, June 22.

Twenty people were reported killed today in an explosion in the tanker Markay, loaded with hundreds of thousands of gallons of butane petrol, in Los Angeles harbour channel, The flaming fuel spread across the channel to the shore. It was estimated that the damage would exceed \$10,-

000,000. The tanker was lying on her side and if was not known if the ship's crew had escaped, Most of the leading crew saved their lives by jumping into the water, but many of them were

Flames were reported to have gutted the terminal of the American President Steamship Line and to be threatening the adjacent Maison Line's terminaL

A blast from the explosion partially lifted the roof of the Matson loading shed.—Renter.

STRIKE

target of 865,000 tons had not been

The Yorkshire miners were re-

sponsible for more than one-fifth of

the country's overall weekly target

The South Wales clerks are de-

manding recognition of their union

by the recently-formed National

Coal Board, which controls Britain's

The strike was interpreted as a

trade union struggle between the

clerical workers in a branch of

Mr Will Arthur, Vice-President

of the South Wales miners, said to-

day: "We are going to keep the

collieries going if possible, Our men

Mr Arthur Horner, General Secre-

tury of the National Union of Mine-

workers, described the threatened

strike as "exceedingly foolish" and

said that the position was that the

Coal Board wanted the situation

clarified so that they could deal with

one organisation instead of a number.

COAL OUTPUT FALLS

due course there will be purified

salt water swimming baths at

four accessible points, together

with public bathing pavillons at

Repulso Bay, Sainley, Castle

Peak and another Kowloon beach

yet to be selected. These facili-

ties will be supplemented by

price-controlled tents on the

beaches and approved private

huts on rocky headlands. These

huts. In fact, constitute Govern-

ment's only concessions to private !

interests so far as long-term

policy is concerned. In the mean-

time the authorities, very fairly,

are permitting private matshed

holders to retain their sites and

buildings until what time Govern-

ment is ready to take them

over. The position is that for the

remainder of the 1947 season,

bathers will have to take their

fun where they can find it, with

the promise that 1948 will see the

implementation of official plans

to develop the beaches in a man-

ner that makes them not only

'generally accessible, but also at-

tractive. Government possesses

a really good and practical blue

print; this must not be spoilt by

cheap and cheeseparing con-

struction work.

Beaches

London, June 22.

Blunt warnings over the weekend men from all South Wales coal-

by a high Government official and fields, met yesterday and pledged

Union leaders that coal production their support of the policy of the

is falling off indicated today that National Association of Colliery

will do any job that arises."

of 4,000,000 tons.

their union.

---Reuter.

S. WALES COLLIERY

The strike of 4,000 colliery clerks, scheduled for

tomorrow in South Wales, is expected to affect some

200 pits turning out half a million tons of coal weekly.

The threatened stoppage followed | Britain's newly-inaugurated five-

yesterday's statement by the Minis- day week in the coal mines might

ter of Fuel. Mr Emmanuel Shinwell, be jeopardised if output did not in-

Kwangtung Devastated: Shameen Threatened

(FROM REUTER'S SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT)

Canton, June 22. What promised to be a bumper rice crop lies in ruins. UNRRA observers who have flown over the flooded areas within the past few days estimate that some sixty to seventy per cent of the Canton delta first harvest rice crop is a total

For weeks past, rain in torrential storms has descended upon the delta and the cachement area of the three great rivers at the mouth of which Canton stands. In recent days these rains have descended with ever-increasing force and the rivers have risen to flood dimensions.

Great areas of Kwangtung Province, of which Canton is the capital, now lie under water. Farmers who hailed the early rains with unqualified approval now shake angry fists at the lowering skies.

Canton city itself is threatened by the flood-water. Low-lying, sprawl- petition. ing along the edge of the Pearl River and spreading onto adjacent islands, the city remembers the dis-

TODAY

London, June 22.

The Fuel Minister, Mr Emmanuel

Shinwell, warned at a miners de-

monstration yesterday in Barnsley,

that after the first two five-day

weeks there was a notable decrease

in production, especially in York-

shire, largest coal-producing area in

Joseph Hall, also noted a decrease

six-day week, but we may be forced

into it if coal is not forthcoming

"disputes" could "easily projudico

"EXCEEDINGLY FOOLISH"

The clerks, members of the Cleri-

Union, were demanding that wage

negotiations for their union be re-

cognised by the National Coal Board.

They refused to be absorbed by the

National Union of Mineworkers.

Should the strike materialise, more

than 200 pits, with a weekly produc-

tion of 500,000 tons, would be nifec-

A representative of colliery fore-

Foremen in demanding that the As-

sociation be recognised by the

National Coal Board as the appro-

priate body with which to negotiate.

tary for Monmouthshire coalfields.

said "I am quite cortain our

members will stay solidly behind

their leaders and decide that 28-day

strike notices shall be handed to the

National Coal Board on August 1

if they persist in their refusal to

grant us the recognition we desire."

INVITATION TO

OUIT

alienable right of the people of Por-

tuguese India (which has a popula-

tion of about 625,000), to determine

their own form of government, add-

London, June 22.

-United Press.

radio tonight.

David Bann, Association Secre-

and Administrative Workers

the success of the five-day week."

in greater quantities than it is now.

'The Yorkshire Miners' leader,

Aiready houses in suburban areas of the city have had to be evacuated. In the residential suburb of Saikwan many homes are inundated by water to a depth of two or three feet.

Fears are entertained lest the floods into the Salkwan power plant, main source of Canton's electricity supply.

Canton's only bulwark against flood and devastation are the numerous 'dykes and dams built in the Instthirty years along the courses of the West and North Rivers. To date, most of these still hold. Near-panic hit the city last Thursday evening on receipt of a rumour that the great dams built by the Pearl Conservance Board at Lupao had broken. This rumour was soon squashed as UNRRA observers flying over the area in low-altitude aircraft reported that the flood waters were still a

HIGH TIDES

good two feet below the danger

terest. Exceptionally high tides help today until Wednesday. to contribute to the danger of thousalong the river's edge, the water of the Central Theatre. and said: "It will be a sad day if rises at high tide to within only five there is need to go back to the linches or less of street level low-lying parts motor cars today were splashing through axle-deep. The former foreign concession of Mr Shinwell said absenteeism and Shameen-built on an Island which was once a sandpit—has been danger for three days. At each high tide the river water flows backwards Meanwhile, an unofficial strike of through the draininge channels of the 4.000 colliery clerks tomorrow in Island and minor flooding has oc-South Wales was threatened. The curred. People wishing to approach General Secretary of the National the British Consulate-General Union of Mineworkers, Arthur Hor- the centre-and lower part-of the ner, described it as "exceedingly Island) at high-tide hours have had

to wade through two or three inches of, water. Old-timers who remember 1915 flood point to the flagstaff the British Consulate grounds, which carries a copper ring showing the flood level of that year, and remind newcomers, that parts of Shameen,

astrous floods of 1915 and fears a re- and that people went to work—if indeed any work was possible--in

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH,

The UNRRA-CNRRA organisations are coping with relief measures for the destitute and homeless to the to the best of their ability. Some 2,000 tons of rice have been allocated to feed those driven from their nomes in the delta area where, necording to reliable estimates, many villages now lie under even to ten feet of water.

trently curtailed by the floods. Not | tonight: only is invigation difficult, but there is hazard to shipping from irate farmers who shoot with rifles at passing vessels because they fear that the bow wave and wash created by the ships will break down their Irail bykes.—Reuter.

RELIEF FUND BAZAAR

Members of the Curlo Furniture and Miscellaneous - Household Uten-Merchant and Employees Association have decided to hold a Today, in Canton people watch the bazaar in aid of the Kwangtung and river water level with fearful in- Kwangsi Flood Relief Fund from

The bazoar will be conducted in

antiques, curios, old paintings and household utensils will be on sale at moderate prices. The total proceeds of the sale, without any deduction, will be donated to the flood relief fund through the Tung Wah Hospital.

Destructive Tornado

Loomie, Nebraska, June 22. It is feared that 50 people have anich struck west of here today. Flood waters four feet deep rushed through nearby Cambridge, where four persons are known to have bren drowned. Hundreds of homes are under water in the business diswere then under eight feet of water triet of the town.—Reuter.

In ninety seconds of fast action, a side the scope of the Commission's gunman leaped on. Pound and tried instructions and functions to interto clap' a drug-soaked rag to his fere with Palestine's judicial adnose. Pound put up a fight, but as | ministration, the matter was being he rolled on the floor with his as- brought to the attention of the proper sallant he was hit over the head authorities.—Reuter. with a revolver and kicked in the

A fellow officer who saw the struggle hailed a passing police prtrol car. As the uniformed men burst through the door the would be kidnappers escaped after firing one shot.

While all this was going on, Aaron Zemiet, son of the proprietor of the by the United Nations General Asstore, stood by in a corner watching helplessly with his hands high in the

air and a gun in his ribs. Pound made a regular Sunday afternoon call at the bookstore, a fact which the terrorists obviously knew. They apparently trailed him during the afternoon after stationing

CUSTOMERS HELD UP During the struggle, the customers in the store were held at bay with

an accomplice in the store.

Describing the daring and dramatic Shipping in the delta has eeen event, the son of the proprietor said

> "The shop was crowded with customers when the police officer, who was one of our regular customers, came in for his papers and magazines. He gave his usual cheerful greeting.

> "At that moment a gun was shoved in my ribs and I saw another gunman jump at the police officer with a gun in his hand. There was a lot of shouting. I was pushed into corner. Then one of the attackers ared a shot and rushed out of the doorway. The police burst in a few seconds later. The whole drama lasted only ninety seconds." PLEA FOR MERCY

Meanwhile, the United Nations As most parts of the Bund Upper Lascar Row, in the vicinity Palestine Commission tonight cabled line is to take place. One high General of United Nations, a plea "been sacked." A large collection of Chinese arts, for mercy by the relatives of the While the United Nations Commisthree Jews condemned to death by a sion on Palestine continued its factcalligraphy, modern furniture and military court here on June 16. Anding mission, reports were strong-The relatives had appealed to the ly current all over Jerusalem on Commission to use its good offices to Sunday that there had come into save the lives of the condemned existence a group of British countermen. The Commission requested Dr terror operatives among the Pales-Lie to transmit the plea to Britain, tine police and that there would the mandatory power.

With the plea went a cabled cover- force with many high officials being ing note expressing the "concern" of affected. the majority of members as to the High military quarters have been possible unfavourable repercussions shaken with the disclosure that a that the executions might have on band of some three dozen war the fulfilment of the task with which toughened army officers from the been killed as the result of a tornado the General Assembly, had entrusted commandos, parachute troops and the Commission.

Justice Emil Sandstrom, the Swedish the Jewish terrorists with their own chairman of the Commission, stated tactics. that their plea had been considered. This disclosure has come about "with full appreciation of your after the 16 year old Jewish youth anguish" and that while it was out- Alexander Rubowitz disappeared or

Briton Foiled Jerusalem, June 22.

Two armed Jews and a girl with a gun were foiled in an attempt to chloroform and kidnap a British police officer, L. Pound, as he was buying his evening newspapers in crowded Jordan's book store in the heart of the city tonight.

HANDS OFF POLICY

Jerusalem, June 22. UNSCOP tonight announced a "hands off" policy toward the death sentences given three members of the Irgun Zval Leumi for participating in the Acre prison break. However, the Commission left the

way open for further consideration The Commission forwarded the ir three youths to Dr

resolution and a letter sent to the Trygve Lie. The letter explained to the relatives that "It is beyond" (Continued on Page 4)

WAR ON TERRORISTS.

Ex-Commandos Go Into Action

Jerusalem, June 23. It was disclosed here on Sunday that a group of about 36 army officers, former parachutists, commandos and underground movement specialists, have been operation their own "column" in a warof their own tactics against Jowists terrorisis.

It is reported that a major purgeof the police administration in Pales-Lie. Secretary- officer has said that he has already

soon be a shake up in the police

the underground resistance move-In a reply to the relatives, Mr ments have been operating agalyst

> May 6 last from the Rehevia quarter of Jerusalem and that Major Roy Alexander Farran, who had been seconded to the Palestine police, had been arrested in Syria in connection with the disappearance,

Forran, who has 26 gallantry decorations, was picked up by the Syrian army in Aleppo as a deserter. Later he was brought to Damascus where he spent last week in night clubs with officers of the Palestine government CID while his extradition formalities were being worked

NO SEARCH BEING MADE Placed under guard in the Allenby

barracks in Jerusalem. Farran escaped through the window of the crowded dining hall on Thursday night and has not since been seen and no search is going on for him either, terrupted by the war, have been an Army source disclosed Sunday

The police have set up a board of enquiry to look into the matter. The Jewish Agency said one of its spokesman takes a grave view of the Far-France's stiffest steeplechuse—the ran case and the official intimated Grand Steeplechase of Paris-was that official representations be made

national class. Pelping-Korea joint four lengths from Rameau with the Army to the police to use counstand.

The jockey remounted but just said to be a member of the Stern

Sing Tao Suffer First Defeat

Singapore, June 22. The Combined Malayan Chinese Football team surprized a huge crowd of 22,000 at the Jalan Besar Stadium this afternoon by beating Sing Tao three goals to onc.

The defences of the home team | Gissels of Denmark, who defeated J. proved too strong for the visitors' Harmans of Holland, ttack and they deserved to win. The first half of the game was seconds and that of Harmans, 5 ter. hard-fought and fairly even, with minutes 39.2 seconds .-- Associated Guan Wah, the Malayan centre- Press. forward, opening the score after 15 minutes of play. Five minutes later, Sing Tao, after determinedly forcing four successive corners equalised when B. Gosano headed

the ball into the net. The play in the second half became very rough. Sing Tao's inrwards could not take advantage of games. opportunities in face of the rugged

adopted today by the Gon Political ahead after 15 minutes when he feet place for winter games. Korea its triumph of last year,

Conference at its concluding session scored from 30 yards out, and Guan is an important sports area and we Lindor carried top-weight of ten jor Farran was a member of a teugh in Bombay, according to New Delhi Wah steered the ball into the net have a number of runners of inter-stone and 12 pounds and won by band of specialists seconded from for the third goal five minutes be-The resolution proclaimed the in- tore time.—Reuter.

BRITISH CHAMP BEATEN Amsterdam, June 23.

ing that they were in favour of in- plon. Reg Harris, was defeated on that China will be sending two men ed fourth, had led most of the way the look out for terrorist activities corporating liberated Gon into a Free Sunday by the Dutch Champion, to the 1952 Oslo winter games to until slipping to throw this lockey such as youths posting gang leaflels. Cor Byster, in a spring match cover- study the organisation.--United Press. Lat the jump in front of the gand- When one of them was caught: Messages wishing the conference a ing a distance of 550 metres, success were sent by Mr Gandhi, Byster's time for the last 200 Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, Vice- metres was 12.8 seconds. Harris President of the Indian Interim was beaten by a half-wheel. Third Government, Dr Paul Malam Azad, was another Dutchman, Van Gelder. Czechoslovakia boat Holland by france for a win and 24 france for a the higher ups in the terrorist gange the former Congress President, and A pursuit race covering a distance two goals to one in association foot- place, but Rameau paid 05 france for and the source of the posters. other leaders.—Reuter, a place.—Reuter. Associated Press Associated Press

PEIPING WANTS OLYMPICS

Stockholm, June 22. S. Y. Tung, Chinese delegate to the International Olympic Committee, revealed today that Peiping will apply for the 1956 Olympic

The Korean delegate, Won Soon

CZECHS WIN

ing by the only goal scored at halftime...Reuter. CHALLENGERS ARRIVE

London, June 22. The United States professional golfer, Johnny Bulla, and amateur, Frank Stranahan, arrived out.

here by air today to play in the British Open champion at Holylake, Gissels' time was 5 minutes 33.4; Cheshire, beginning Jurie 30.—Reu-RUGGER IN RUSSIA Moscow, June 22.

Burevestnik Afteens in the lead after the first round.—Reuter. REPEATS VICTORY

resumed with the Dynamo

Rugby Football championships, in-

Paris, June 22. A resolution inviting the Portu- defence.

Lee, learning of Peiping's plans, said, won today by Lindor by Montains- about it.

Rar Chong put Singapore further "In that case Korea would be a per- man out of Lady Chatterly to repeat Army officers in Jerusalem are

> games would be appreciated in the Ledian another four lengths behind. ter-terror measures along the pattern For East, which obviously has been! The six-year-old Lindor was with of the terror gange. These operaforgotten by the International Com- the leaders throughout but not until tional columns are reported to have the favourite Melimelo, fell did he toured Palesting cities in civilian The British spring cycling cham- The Chinese delegate also revealed go clear in front, Fryas, who finish- clothes and in small black cars on

> > Amsterdam, June 22. The winner paid 34 france for a the higher ups in the terrorist gangs

and the final decisions can be rerarded as sensible and well cal-... culated to meet public wishes. In

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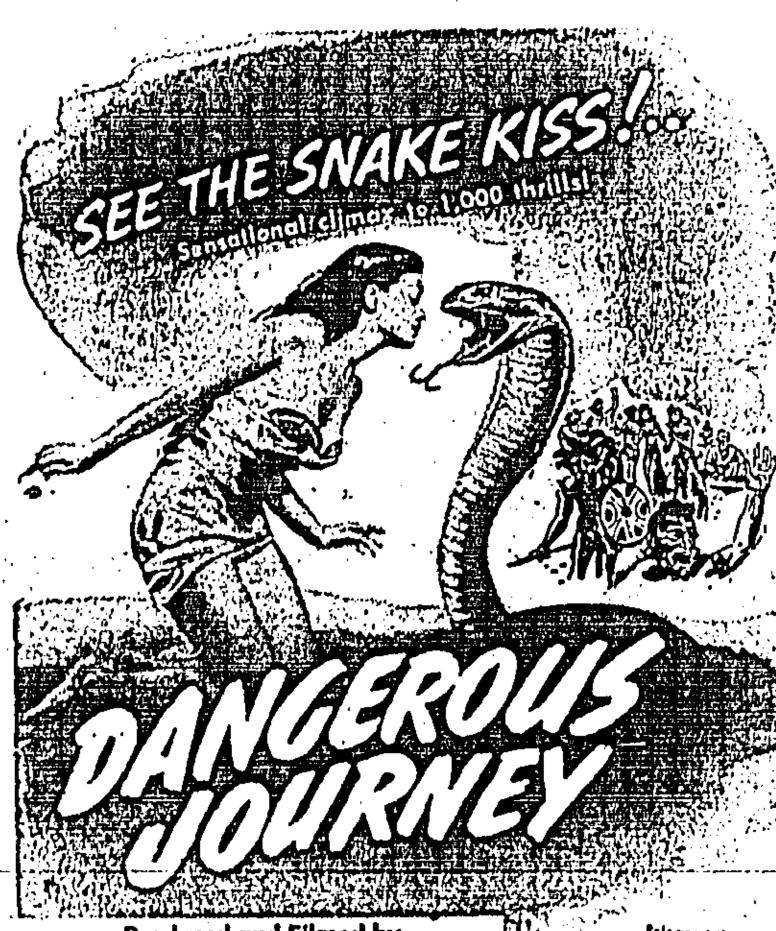
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ONG-EARED spokesmen in is an egregious folly while "War she says. touch with abominable and Peace" is so hard to obtain. Circles characterised as "The height of folly" a suggestion of English of folly" a suggestion of English of the court o height of folly" a suggestion Literature at Swindon University, although that is the only language worried about her future. that Vol. III. of the Hunting- "may get some idea of our culture she understands. For back in the in films or on the stage," he said donshire Cabmen should be by reading this and similar lists, Daily Express office the staff had her recently, "but she would be speak-translated into French, and but we in England take such things halking a dozen different languages ing everybody else's part. issued in France.

without even blographical details, of the word." and an expert with a wide knowledge of France and her people Good news said: "There is nothing to translate. THOSE who have been disappoint-Moppett, E. F. can only be translated Moppett E. F. The same is true of Owle, P., and Oxhall, D. N. B. There is no nuance of translation by which the numes could be changed. It would be just as sensible, and just as idlotic, to 'translate' into English a list of the tram-drivers of Bordeaux. As for the suggestion that "Monsleur" should be put in front of each name in the French edition of the work, it is too puerile to discuss. To call Nugstraw, T. R., Monsieur Nugstraw, T. R., will not improve Franco-British relations."

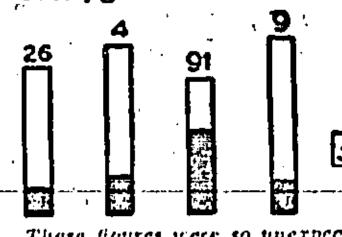
lo-it-literature?_____

MEANWHILE there are carping IVI crities who suggest that even the publication of the list in English

for granted. The compilation of lists of names is too much akin to It was pointed out that the French that regimentation which no Briton cannot be expected to show much will stand for a moment. Nor is interest in a list of English cabmen, this list literature, in the best sense

ed at the slow recovery of the ed at the slow recovery of the lit meant: "Are you familiar with tence with him, world from the chaos of war may the Welsh language? Has anyone "...she does not take heart, as I do, from reading else spoken Welsh to you?" but have to talk in that in 1948 tourists will be able Zonia had not understood at all. to drink cocktails while flying over the North Pole. What more can one want?

Jute figures



These figures were so unexpected that Fatty stood on his head (top-hat by Maison Burst).



"I've just seen the rushes. The picture is terrible. Better put another million dollars into advertising."

you

By ARTHUR COOK

the table, menu in hand. He opened his mouth and two voices said, "Sorry, sir, the chicken is off now."

He looked oddly at the tall. dark-eyed, girl beside me and some . . ." he started, and at that precise moment she said with him. "Could I suggest some . . ."

It was time for me to explain, and two voices said: "My friend" is always like this, she talks at the same time as somebody else and says the came things as they do."

"Amazing." murmured the walter and at the same time the girl's lips moved. "Amazing," she said.

Seventeen-year-old Zonia Meila does not remember exactly when it all started; she just grew up like it, che thinks.

At her convent school in Littlehampton the other girls got used to hearing her take the class with the nun teacher.

reprimand. "Please be quiet, Zonia," invene should be able to repeat a and heard Zonia say at the same time, "Please be quiet, Zonia," bel fore she was quiet.

"But then I found I still talked with the teacher, quietly to myself,"

in as many minutes.

in Welsh, too

**/ELSH-BORN Trevor Evans was W first. They said together: "Ydych chwi yn cyfarwydd a'r faith cymraeg? Ocs rhyw un arall wedi slarad cymraeg gydach -chwi?"

HE waiter came back to Summed in Mr Evans: "The best Welsh I've heard by anyone who is not Welsh"-and she said that with

> Lestle Pratt, linguist, tried "Co mai faceti?" Rumanian for "How do you do?" and Zonia said with him, "Ce mai faceti?"

"C'est formidable" ("Amazing"). tried again: "Could I suggest murmured Basil Cardew, and without looking at him Zonia was saying. "C'est formidable."

George Stroud, photographer, was listening in the background. "'Cor stone the crows," and he-and Zonia

Is it practice?

THAPMAN / Pincher, science re-U porter, said nothing at the time but was busy on his theory:--"Miss Melin's strange ability is

due solely to the speed of her nervous reactions to the spoken word. "She cannot influence the time it takes for the sound to reach her ears from your lips-1-200th of a second, if you are standing five feet from her.

"But the time taken for the sound is the tightest in town. to pass to her brain and be translated into words is much smaller than in a normal person.

"The normal speed at which impulses travel the 12 inches between car, brain and vocal chords is about They got used to the occasional 400 feet per second so, in theory, moved. word with a time lag of only 3.400ths of a second.

lots of practice."

Her career

Mr Thomas Elder Hearn, of Low-"She wants to take up a career,

"I think she will have to carry on as a photo-

graphic model for hairdressing, she does not have to talk-in that."

And from the other side of the room Zonia finished the sen-



you to bring me a large dollar exchange with very little soda."

IN HERE

By DUDLY HARMON

NEW security system has In gone into effect at atomic energy headquarters in Washington which officials say

it was easier to en'on American Army Headquarters in France at the height of the war than it is to penetrate the marble fasiness of the public health building to which the Atomic Energy Commission recently

All employees carry a special "horsper-proof" name with their "Normally, it takes much longer, photograph. The pass is covered but the time could be reduced by with an unterrable, uncuttable thermoplastic material. If anyone I tried to change the photograph the paper would disintegrate.

> At the heavily guarded Nuremberg courlibouse where the German war had substituted a picture of his dog for his own. The guard let him through.

But that couldn't happen as atomic headquarters in Washington. Employees entering the building must exchange their pass for a badge. The guard carefully examines the pictures on both sides to see that they tally. Passes and badges are, counted at night.

Employees and visitors must wear their badges every moment they are in the building. Only visitors with verified appointments may go beyond the roped-off contrance. They are under escort at all times. They (Continued on Page 3)

PROMISING YOUNG ACTORS IN BRITAIN.

play her very first part-and ficult road to success. before Royalty, too, for in a box sat Queen Victoria, Prince Albert and Princess Royal.

though she was, and surrounded by ning their stage careers today will the atmosphere of theatrical life do it, too. from babyhood, it was still a great ordeal for such a very little girl.

of Shakespeare's "Winter Tale," a name for himself almost overnight and wearing a little red and silver in "Tomorrow the World." Protunic, she had to play with a small ducers who previously had refused go-eart on the stage, and it is not to book him began to offer him surprising that in her anxiety to parts in various plays, and it was shine on her first appearance she finally decided that David should ran about too eagerly, and alas, play at Stratford-on-Avon tripped over the go-cart and fell on Shakespearean parts. her backl

A GREAT CAREER

famous English actress—the great beth." Dame Ellen Terry, whose centenary has been remembered recently in Britain. The little Ellen played was 15 years of age, and very when he continues his stage career. quickly developed the wonderful natural gifts that she possessed for

To achieve the dizzy heights of fame is a dream which only a few ever realise, but Eilen did it, and perhaps some of the fine young Daughter of an actor and actress actors and actresses who are begin-

One of these (who like Ellen Terry, was born in Coventry) is. In the part of the boy Mamillius David O'Brien. At 11 years he made

He is one of the youngest actors who has played a whole season in Shakespeare's birthplace, and his Nevertheless, this was the begin- parts included Ariel in "The Temning of the stage career of one who pest," Moth in "Love's Labour became a most distinguished and Lost," and young Maeduff in "Mac-

David is now finishing his education at a school in Dorset, but we many other child parts before she shall no doubt hear more of him

OUTSTANDING

Fouricen-year-old Peter Scott, a

NE eventful night in April and to believe that nothing is im- of the most outstanding young ac-1856, a fair-haired little possible to those who have courage tors in England. Peter has played and hope and youth." This beauti- Robin in "The Years Between" at girl, only nine years of age, ful message must have imprinted Wyndham's Theatre, in "The Other walked on to the stage of the itself upon the young actress's mind Side" at the Comedy Theatre, and Princess's Theatre in London to and perhaps helped her on the dif- the part of 'Erbie in "Pener Comes to Peckham" at the Embassy

He manages to find time, in between school and rehearsals, for his favourite hobby—cycling! Peter has the right spirit for the tough road to stardom!

BROADCAST AT SEVEN

Little Angele Glynne, 13-yearold actress, appeared in a film when she was only a year-and-a-half old, and at seven years of age broadcast in a programme to. Americal She has played in films and on the stage a number of times since then.

She was seen in the play "Tomor-

row the World" by the comedian. Bud Flanagan, who admired her sense of comedy, and she is now partnering him at the Collseum, London, in "Night and the Laughter." She goes to school in the day time

and on matinee days has a special tutor at the theatre, so her education is not being neglected.

Another 14-year-old who is well on the way to stardom is Michael Newall, born in Greenwich. Michael goes to the City of London School, but was allowed time off to rehearse for "The Winslow Boy" at the Lyric Theatre—a play that has had a long run in London-where he takes the ... name part. He has several difficult speeches to make, but thanks to his own great enthusiasm and the splen-In the story of her life, Ellen Londoner, was told by a school of did conching of the well-known ac-Terry mentioned a little note she acting that he would never be any tor. Emlyn Williams (who is also once received from an old friend, good on the stage, but Peter acting in the play), Michael gives a which read: "The longer one lives, thought otherwise and proved magnificent performance, and a great the more one learns not to despair, himself correct, for he is now one future is predicted for him.

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Here's an old, but ever new beauty tip! Hair oily? Just won't look. pretty? So little time? But, what's this?-a Minute Shampool Take a few tablespoonfuls of oatmeal from the kitchen shelf. Work it into scalp and hair. Quickly brush it through your hair. The catmeal abscrobs the excess oil. Your hair is now

Itwisted turbans or wide sequin-spattered velvet bands. They carry You can now carry your deodor- beauty ammunition and money in ant powder with you. It can be had their coat packets, a bag doesn't

Huge bunches of artificial Lilacs You can now buy prefume in are going to be worn on coat lapels beautiful bottles. Not that the aext Spring and they should be oprhyed with Lilac perfume.

> You can now do an electric manicare on your own nails. It saves

Pints-linted stockings are going places with Black sandals!

BIG KIANGWAN RUNWAY NOW BEING FIXED

Patching up of the huge concrete runway at Shanghai's Klangwan Airfield, which started cracking in weak spots several months ago, has been started by the U.S. Air Transport Command with the co-operation of the Chinese Air Force.

by the Japanese in 1938 and enlarged of near Lattaquia, to the north, clamped on Chicago. ed in 1941, is now being repaired under similar circumstances. by American engineers.

that the reconstruction work is ploitation of their find—and in the limited to repairs of damaged sections market place the shrill argument as of the runway and will not extend to its origin goes on.-United Press. to major modifications.

The big runway, measuring about 0.500 feet, has taken the poundings of innumerable four-engined American transports and hombers since the US Army air force occupied the field in September 1945. It was intended only as a fighter and lightbomber strip by the Japanese air force.

Main reason for the cracking o the airstrip's concrete paving is that the Jepanese laid on a four-inch thick layer only, which is inadequate for all except the lightest military planes. Lunghwa's new airstrip, for comparison, has a concrete runway of 12 inches average thickness.

The Klangwan Airfield, on at least two occasions, took the weight of the US Army's largest operational bomber, the Superfortress. The greatest burden ever borne by the field was during the Cannon Project of the first occupation days in 1945. At that time, as much as 100 planes arrived daily, many of them big

SIDE GLANCES

manageable.

Galbraith



That client is awfully hard to convince that a picture of

Chicago Mayor Fights Multi-Million Dollar Gambling Racket

For the first time in years the lid has been clamped tightly on Chicago's multi-million dollar gambling racket. The new mayor, Martin H. Kennelly, had promised reform in his campaign speeches, and the city is getting its first taste.

OIL STRIKE IN HEART OF BEIRUT

An oil strike in the heart of centuries before Christ was born, threatens to bring the din and clangour of drill crews to its medieval market place.

The strike was made next to the patronised by the wealthy. ther, war-made millionaires, made anti-gambling drive. the discovery on land they bought from the municipality.

The land, about 800 square yards, was to be used for a five-storey building. Because the soil is deep, engineers recommended that the exenvators dig to bed rock for a solid foundation for the building.

About 18 yards beneath the surface oily water appeared. A rag dipped in the water will burn. was from such seepages that oil for time of the pyramids.

Nearly 200 barrels of olly water are still studying the "oil."

Differing Opinions

an important oil deposit. No one

Optimists shouted down the doubters with arguments of their own: few months. 1. No matter how fast it is balled out the liquid keeps flowing into the hole. Engineers have dug more however, are hard-pressed for funds. than half a yard into the rock face Police said some of them had turned from which the oil comes, and have to petty crime, merely hastened its flow.

The main runway, which was built 3. Oil recently had been discover- reported shortly after the 11d was

STREPTOMYCIN SAID CURE FOR PLAGUE

Dr Karl Meyer, head of the discovery of the most effective medicine so far known for the in Penang, according to a press treatment of bubonic and pneumonic plague, reports Central

After six months' experimentation on mice, rabbits and pigs, Dr Meyer recommended the use of the newly developed drug, streptomycin on human beings infected with bubonic and pneumonic plague infections. He said the results he obtained "justified" the expectation that the new drug would be equally effective in dealing with human plague in-

He declared that the entire problem of plague, which has taken millions of lives in the past, could now "fairly be well licked" with streptomycin.

It may be recalled that during the war bubonic and pneumonic plagues ravaged Fukien, Cheklang, Hunan and other places in China, and claimed thousands of victims. With the development of stroptomycin, it is expected that the work of epidemic prevention and control in China, will become much easier.

DIFFICULT TO GET IN HERE

(Continued from Page 2)

must check parcels and bags at the door unless they have a "baggage only by employees with special au-

At the door of every office, a sign asks: "Have you locked your safe?" After employees leave for the night, two guards check every safe every hour. If they find a door open, one remains besides the safe while the other telephones the person responsible. He must come immediately to the office, check the contents of the

sale and lock it. Heavy steel grilles, opening only from the inside out, are built into the fire escapes. Gates are being constructed to the building's parking lot which can be opened only by a

quarters is bothed in brilliance. Powerful light flood outer walls and grounds from dusk to dawn .-- United

the race results were silenced. Dust gathered in gambling joints throughout the city. .

Chicago had experienced periodi-

cal "clean-ups" before—most of them
just before election time. But none
was as drastic as this.
The shutdown closed big and little
gambling spots allice. In previous
clean-ups, only the small handbooks,
typified by the cigar store front and
the crowd of horseplayers in the Beirut, ancient Lebanese city back room, were forced to close. founded by the Phoenicians In the present drive, the ultra-centuries before Christ was swank spots with their routette tables and chrome and leather furnishings were closed as well. Many of these were run in conjunction with night clubs, and were old wall of the city, in Assour Part of the severe slump in night Square. Albert Asseyll and his bro- club business was attributed to the

Policemen Transferred

Shortly after his inauguration, of the city's 39 police captains. The move served a double purpose. Russian tops them all with his talent It removed from strategic districts

the captains who had permitted gambling to flourish, and it brought paper kept asking Gromyko whom the lamps of Egypt came during the new blood into districts where gambling was running wide open. It was the most drastle reshuffling kept replying that he did not know. was taken from the seepage. The in the police department's history. man-made well reills itself each two Shortly afterwards, 78 sergeants and up to the reporter saying: hours. Samples of the liquid were patrolmen were shifted. Many of sent to various laboratories which them had served as liaison agents We are giving it to you as an exbetween the numblers and their clusive story." superiors in the department.

The shutdown was accomplished notebook in hand. Hardly had the oily liquid been with only a few scattered raids. Belrut was rocked by arguments as gambling as well as the city's other should have the job since you've to whether or not the find indicated lucrative rackets closed up quickly. shown so much interest in the sub-Syndicate big shots, some of whom ject." denied that the substance behaved were associates of the inle "Scarlike oil, but some thought it seeped face" Al Capone, are sitting tight, into the exervation from a nearby awaiting developments. They re- in a coming speech. Gromyko made called the last gambling crackdown, a brief reply and then added: nine years ago, which lasted only u

Loosening The Grip Many of the small-time gamblers,

Many went into partnership with night." 2. The liquid obviously is coming tovern owners in deals whereby from the rock face. Besides the flow bartenders took bets on the horses sonally, had nothing whatsoever is doo heavy to represent mere seep- and the tovern got its cut. Others against American slang—in fact, age from storage tanks, many per- in combling activities was rather enjoyed at this simply increase in gambling activity was isn't the place to use it."

1 inder similar circumstances.

The Asseyli brothers promptly secured from the Lebanese govern
secured from the Lebanese govern
to minimise it and sid to deal that he did claimed that Gromyko also was allowing the rest of his staff to drop the storage. ed to loosen the syndicate's grip.

policy wheels are still operating. Police said they were hard to stop because of their transient nature .---

Penang Chinese Destitutes

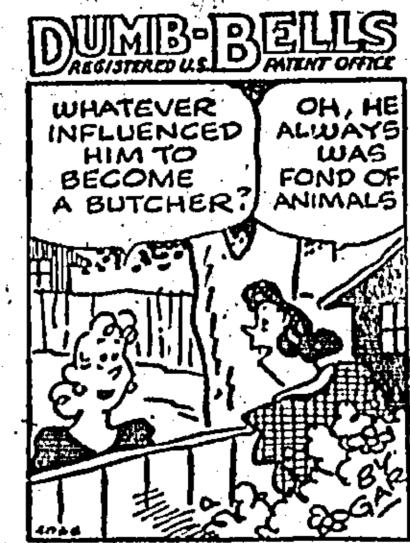
The Chinese Government, California University's Hoover through the Chinese Consul in Foundation, has claimed the Penang, is arranging to give Krasilnikov saw her in the hall, relief to 4,200. Chinese destitutes he looked the other way. report from Penang.

Mr N. K. Lee, Chinese Consul at Penning, has announced that a sum of Straits \$130,000 was being remitted by the Nanking Foreign Office for this purpose. The money was to get Krasilnikov to accept that expected to reach Penang, in middle of June and would be used "I'I'm so sorry," he insisted politely, principally to assist 1,200 destitute "you see, in Russia, we never de-Chinese who had registered themselves at the Chinesa Consulate and 3,000 Chinese farmer-settlers who PSYCHIATRIST ON had been invelgled during Japanese occupation to emigrate to. Province Wellesley to grow foed and who are now stranded there.

It is understood that each relief case will receive \$30 and that any of circulation, in the opinion of Dr balance of the \$130,000 remitted by Richard C. Jaenike Strong, psychiathe Chinese Government would be trist of Rochester, N.Y. used as relief for Chinese stranded in Batavia.—Reuter.

Director Wm Wyler

Academy a few weeks ago.



Portrait Of Andrei Gromyko

BY ROBERT RICHARDS (United Press Staff Correspondent)

Russia's Andrei Gromyko, once known as very dour, is perhaps the top personality among the United Nations delegates.

Hendrik De Kauffman of Den-Kennelly set the gumbling clean-up mark is more handsome, Sir Alexanin motion. After conferences with der Cadogan of the United Kingdom the mayor, Police commissioner has more poise, and France's Ale-John C. Prendergast transferred 31 xandre Parodi makes a more pollshed speech-but the 39-year-old

for humorous remarks. A reporter for a New York news-Russia would nominate as governor of Trieste. Day after day, Gromyko Finally, one day, Gromyko rushed

"Who is it?" asked the reporter

"Russia, at last, has her nominee.

"Why you," replied Gromyko, The "syndicate" which controls grinning broadly. "We feel that you

A United Press reporter asked Gromyko what he intended to suy "If you really want to hear what I've got to say, I suggest that you drop in and watch me working." During a debate in the Security Council, Gromyko snr pped: "We can't sit around here and discuss this in American slang all

He further explained that he, per-

Dropping The Starch

An ATC spokesman emphasised ment a permit for schreh and ex-The numbers racket and the Krasilnikov, No. 2 man for the Sovict delegation. "I was sitting beside Krasilnikov

one day," my informer said, "but I didn't quite know he was such a big shot. We chatted for some time about this and that .- Then -1-offered. him a stick of gum." It may be that the offer suddenly warned Krasilnikov that he was

dealing with a capitalistic maiden on much too friendly ground.
"Anyhow," sald the lady journalist, "he suddenly half-shouted 'no'.

And then closed up. He simply wouldn't talk to me any longer." After that, for several days, li "Then, recently, he started speak-

ing to me again," she said. "I'm convinced he talked it over with Gromyko, who told him to go ahead -it was all right." However, she has nev r been able

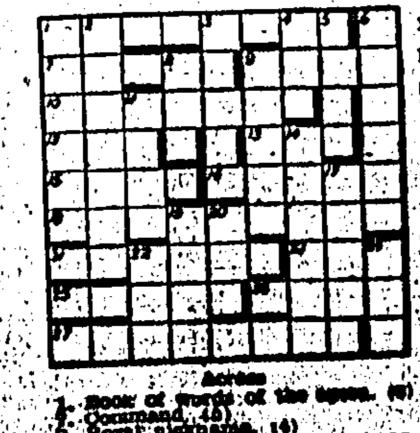
stick of gum. veloped a liking for this stuff."

SEX CRIMINALS

He believes they are a psycho-

logical problem, and an institution is needed to care for them. A court consultant on many cases involving morals violators, Dr Strong is convinced that such criminals. should be confined until cured. Film director William Wyler will "But the state makes no provision represent the American Moilon Pic- for their care," he said. "They ture Academy of Arts and Sciences, cannot be sent to a mental hospital at the International Film Festival because they do not fall in the legal. in Brussels this month. Wyler was category governing insanity. They elected a vice-president of the do, nevertheless, need institutional

CROSSWORLD PUZZLE



18. Taken from a portfolio nowa-days. (4) 18. I leave the guif in the Dutch East Indies. (5) Hoos the bird. (3)
Hoom a name for a change. (4)
If Princess Elizabeth marries sha will have one of these. (8)

send 18. Not international control but something much less. (0, 8)

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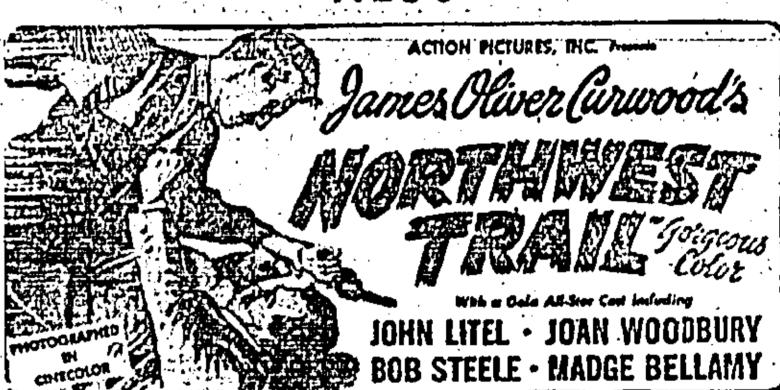


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U.S.—TURKISH OIL DEAL

Ankara: June 22. Negotiations for the prospect-#[] ing of petroleum in some areas of Anatolia (Asiatio Turkey) have begun between the Turkish Mineral Research Institute and the American Drilling and Exploration Company, and a final agreement will be concluded soon, it was learned here today.

All necessary equipment and staff will be provided by the Institute. The United States firm will be in charge of drilling and providing expert supervision.

About 20 American experts will arrive in Turkey after the agreement is signed and will start drilling in the Rama area of the Taurus Mountains, and also in the Adana and Hatay areas in the south.

Ten other United States experts, who have already arrived in Turker, will investgate pits in the Zooguldak coal mines on the Black Sea coast. -Reuler.

ON JAUNT TO JAPAN

London, June 23. Field Marshal Montgomery plans a four day visit to General Douglas MacArthur in Japan in the course of a twomonth tour of the Pacific, he announced through the War

. General MacArthur has sent me a very warm invitation, and as he is the only senior American general I have never met, I am very anxious to see him," the Chief of the Imperint General Staff sald.

Montgomery left on Saturday and has reached Palestine. He plans conferences with British officers in India, Singapore, Australia and who occupied a greater part of New Zealand.

the Dominions use to train their citizen armies, because I feel we have a lot to learn from them. In the 12 months for which we shall properly."

set conscription at a year, after op- lifted. position developed to an 18-month

tinued. "I have been to Canada and Mukden have made further progress. studied what they do and I have The main force from Changehun has have seen Australia and New now poised for a direct assault Zealand, I think we shall be able to the Communist headquarters in give the training without wasting Kungchuling.—United Press. any time."-Associated Press.

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STALIN DECISION ON EUROPE AID PLAN AWAITED

London, June 22. This week-end may bring one of the decisive

. His problem: Shall Russia join Britain and France in planning an economic "one world" for Europe, perhaps at the cost of a slipping Red grip on the middle Europe governments, or shall she cast aside the chance to unite Europe and go her own way in her own politico-economic sphere in the

Foreign Secretary "breaks" of trade union warfare, snatched at American must decide quickly on a course as Secretary of State George C. momentous to them as it will be to Marshall's offer of June 5 to the rest of Europe. help rebuild Europe. he called on French Premier muchinery that he could get with Paul Ramadier and Georges Minister patched to Russia a call to join of his own. And Europe's Comthem-and to decide by Monday whether the Soviet Government support on their torn economies, lose face for United States practice squadron, will come in.

Russin's officially-inspired Com- political fact that the plan will tend munist newspaper, Pravda, gree'- t to hold back the spread of Com-Gen. Marshall's plan with a single munism. blast and then relapsed into silence.

GOVERNMENT DRIVE ON SZEPINGKAI

Nanking June 22. today that the Communists, the city of Szepingkai, now "I am anxious to study the methods | hold only the railway station and a small pocket.

Government troops are engaged in mopping up the stragglers in the have to train our new soldiers, we streets following a counter-attack have to be certain we do the job which came after a two-day Communist assault. The heavy artillery The British government recently barrage by the Communists was

Sources also said that two Government relief columns driving towards "We have no time to lose," he con- Szepingkai from Changchun and

Indonesians Fail Texas City Mass To Agree

Batavia, June 22. Cabinet Ministers and Party leaders of the Indonesian Republic today failed to agree on the terms of their reply to the Dutch proposals for implementation of the recent Dutch-Indonesian agreement. A full meeting of the Republican Cabinet has been called for Tues-

Netherlands Commission General asked the Republic to say whether it, would accept its military and economic proposals for putting the agreement into operation. It is understood here that the Republican Government has accepted most of the Dutch "final" proposals for the implementation of the Linggadjati agreement, but has referred certain vital points to the full meeting of Dr Sjahrir's Republican

Cabinet: An interim reply was drafted and despatched following a meeting of key Cabinet Ministers at Dr Sjahrir's home today.—Reuter.

KIDNAP ATTEMPT FOILED

(Continued From Page 1)

scope of the Committee's instructions to interfere with judicial administration in Palestine." It said, however, that the "matter was being brought to the attention of the proper authorities." Another vital question—the boysuccessful. It has now been decided to bring no further pressure to bear for fear the Arab elements which University represented a great Bevin sold that he "gripped them might change their mind later would advance over the Truman doc- with both hands" and did not ask be antagonised.

Most of the secret sessions were trine. levoted to the Irgun Zvai Leumi appeal for intervention on behalf damental problem was one of econoof the youths sentenced to death. mics, that Europe must share in the It was known the Commission had effort, and that she must be aided moving towards war," Mr Henry felt out the Palestine Government, as a whole and not country by Wallace, summarising impressions of hoping it was possible a review of country. the sentences might bring a com-

Duchess Of Kent Homeward Bound

Rome, June 22. The Duchess of Kent passed through Rome to-day en route home from a visit to her relatives in the

evening - Associated Press

moments in Europe's tangled history—and the decision lies with Premier Joseph Stalin.

Ernest | Now the Soviet News Agency, Tass, Bevin, practised-in grasping the has announced that the Government is "considering" the matter. The Russians are in a spot. They

Marshall Stalin's dilemma is both Hastily economic and political. He needs French dollars accruing from joining in the plan. If he rejects it, he gets no share of the dollars and virtually Bidault. In two days they dis- no hope of promoting a dollar loan munist parties, bidding for popular support on their ability to restore the ald will not bear the Red mark. the first in 10 years. If he accepts he also must accept the

New Standard

American plan the economic weapon for which he often has wished. With Stribling, Meredith and Chara. enough coal, he has said repeatedly, he could write his own ticket in Europe's economic and political affairs-but Britain herself depends on the United States to eke out her scraped fuel bins.

America has coal and food. Now. taking the initiative in shaping Europe's approach to unified econo-Government sources reported sparely defined offer as the standard after a five-day visit here. to bear before Europe's hungering millions.

Stalin running his part of it by from the mast. himself.—Associated Press.

Russia May Accept Moscow, June 22.

French invitation to take part in In the ranks of midshipmen of publication of the alleged docutalks of the Marshall plan for aid standing at attention will be his ments. to Europe is expected within the son. Robert C. Conolly. next 24 hours.

Vyacheslav Molotov, will send a and the Mediterranean theatres. seen the American methods. When crossed the Hsinkai River and is deputy and suggest that the meeting

as a possible deputy.—Reuter.

Burial

Texas City, June 22. This city's 63 unidentified deadvictims of the April 16 disaster the British Isles.—Reuter. that took 484 lives and injured a mass burial today.

The bodies are to be carried in army ambulances from nearby Camp Wallace to the Texas City cemetery, which has been established as a memorial to those who died in the shattering nitrate explosions.

more time for identification of the in Morocco must be cancelled." dead. Since then 10 bodies have been identified.

known will be buried in identical whether other powers might occupy cossins in numbered graves, Catholic, Morocco if the French left, he said: Protestant, Jewish and Negro clergy- "All countries, yours like mine, will —United Press. 🗀

POCKET CARTOON



ON VISIT TO SCOTLAND

should say, quite adequate."

Edinburgh, June 22. A national salute of 21 guns by the United States aircraft carrier Randolph will announce the arrival in Scottish waters tomorrow of an eight-ship touring that district.

Nearly 10,000 American 'scamen, United States Navat Academy at Annapolis, will be aboard the Randolph, the aircraft carrier Kearsarge, Mr Bevin apparently sees in the the battleships New Jersey and Wisconsin, and the destrovers Cone.

As they steam up the Firth of Forth to their anchorage off the Scottish Naval Depot of Rosyth, a battery of guns in historic Edinburgh will return the salute from the lofty planacle of the Rock overlooking the

Designed as a training trip for the "middles", the schedule will take the mie aid from the New World, Mr squadron to Norway, Denmark and Bevin obviously sees Marshall's Sweden in the first week in July

As Admiral R. L. Conolly, Commander of the United States naval The decision, which must come forces in the Eastern Atlantic and by Monday night, is one for a single | Mediterranean, goes abourd the New Europe, virtually on Anglo-French Jersey immediately the anchor is terms, or two Europes, with Marshal dropped, his standard will be broken "Close In"

At 55. Admiral Conolly is the youngest four-star admiral in the Russin's answer to the Anglo- history of the United States Navy.

The admiral earned the nickname Scotland's capital are eagerly await political life. The Soviet Vice-Foreign Minister, ing the visitors. Thousands of M. Andre Vyshinsky, is mentioned American servicemen visited or

and were very popular. inspect the old castle. More than to offer Hungary substantial assis-1,000 years old, it has witnessed tance after the war. more grim scenes, of torture and murder down the centuries than almost any other historic building in

thousands—go to nameless graves in ABD EL KRIM'S VIEW ON MOROCCO Paris, June 22.

Abd El Krim, the former leader of the Riffs, who escaped to Egypt while on his way to France after 21 years in exile, told a correspondent Services previously scheduled for of the French newspaper Figuro June 8 were postponed to allow today that "the French protectorate He accused the French of "occupy-

cen identified.

Those whose names are still not France," and in reply to a question men will officiate at the mass burial, be obliged to supply bases against Communism."—Reuter.

WALLACE CRITICISES BEVIN'S

Washington, June 22. Mr Henry Wallace, the former United States Vice-President, today criticised Mr Ernest Bevin, the British Foreign Secretary, for the "tone" of his remarks on Russia during the House of Commons debate last Thursday, declaring that "unless his attitude is repudiated promptly, the effect could be disastrous."

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shall doctrine expounded by the kind of mentality."

"Marshall recognised that the fun-

to participate in the plan. High officials claimed, however, "It is disconcerting, however, to The former Vice-President assailthat this was impossible as it would have the British Foreign Minister, ed what he called the United States

challenge to Russia so sharp that it problems on economic; terms.

tlating is whith there is an under the United Press, and distant

cott of UNSCOP by the Arabs was tabled temporarily. Three attempts up his recent campaign with a base been made by the delegation broadcast, declared: "The Martremely difficult to settle with this Mr Wallace, who was winding lying political ideology being pur-Secretary of State at Harvard On the Marshall proposals, Mr. for particulars.—Reuter.

> Moving Towards War . New York, June 22.

"Americans fear we are rapidly his recent nation-wide tour, declared "He left the door open for Russiu in an address prepared for radio de-Hvery today.

indicate British weakness, which in his speech last Thursday, seeming Government's "militaristic foreign frequency of 643 kilocycles from 12.30 to would be fatal at this time.—United to repudiate the Marshall doctrine policy" and criticised both the Repudiate the Marshall doctrine publican and Democratic parties for from 12.30 to 1.15, 7.30 to 8.30 and 9.15 doctrine of three months ago. "His tone and content represent a ... He urged Americans to meet world

Greek Royal family.

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Hungarian President Denies Resignation

Budapest, June 22. The idea of resignation had never occurred to him or to anyone around him and he was absolutely at a loss to understand the rumours which had spread abroad of his resignation, the President of Hungary, M. Zoltan Tildy, declared today.

The President's statement came two days after M. Jekely, former chief adviser to the Hungarian President, had stated in Geneva that President Tildy had offered his resignation at a Cabinet meeting that

Referring to recent statements by the leader of the Freedom Party, Deszo Sulyok, that there was no freedom of speech or of press in Hungary, President Tildy said these were M. Sulyok's private opinion and did not interest the head of the The President denied rumours of Smallholders' Party in the coming

a special Cabinet meeting on Friday | election and that British officers at which he was alleged to have were using one of the convicted been present, and said that he had conspirators for esplonage. spent all that day at Balatoniele, his | The Szebad Nep devoted most of inkeside summer residence, and that its first page to an attack on the the Premier had visited him there in | correspondents of the New York the evening as he happened to be Times and of Router und Associated

He expressed complete confidence stories" the correspondents had in Hungary's future as an indepen- allegedly filed and asking, "How dent state and the hope that the long shall we allow them to file great powers will shortly come to these lies throughout the world?" including 2,140 midshipmen from the an agreement over the future of the small states of Eastern Europe. Talks With Nagy

Of his two talks with M Ferenc Club in Budapest had been arrested Nagy by telephone before the former and a Reuter story that long queues Premier's resignation in Switzer- had formed in front of Budapest land, he said that each time M Nagy | banks during the first days of the told him he would come back as soon as his car had been repaired, Nagy had made no conditions about his resignation, nor had he asked for any money or the return of his car. The President said he would not judge the former Premier and would not call him a traitor. That, ne said, was a matter for the Government and the courts of justice.

He had not been shown the documents which led up to the crisis before they were published. He only knew from the newspapers the alleged statement by Bela Kovaes, the former Secretary of the Smallholders' Party, who is stated to have incriminated M Nagy and other Hungarian leaders in a plot against the state after his arrest by the

He had not been consulted by the Government on the delicate matter

Government In Exile

The President, who received Foreign circles here believe that of "Close In" during the war for Reuter's correspondent for the inter-Russia will accept the invitation, but his daring operational tactics in view in his villa on Lake Ballaton, that the Soviet Foreign Minister, M. amphibious assaults in the Pacific looked brown and well and completely unruffled by the storm which The half-million inhabitants of has been raging in Hungarian

M. Nagy, meanwhile, commenting on the Hungarian Government White were stationed here during the war Paper accusing him of seeking United States and British aid in an alleged . A big programme of entertain- plot against the republic when Frement has been arranged. Invitations mier, said that he wanted to estabhave been issued for them to visit lish a Western type of democracy private homes, go on private motor with American help because the tours of famous beauty spots and United States was the only country

> He declared that he had, apparent ly, been thrown out "for conspiring to establish friendly relations with the United States." It was too early, he added, to discuss forming a government in exile in Washington, where the former Premier is now staying.-Reuter.

Greek Plane Shot Down By Guerillas

Athens, June 22. Greek guerilla anti-aircraft fire in the Koziani region of Macedonia, brought down a Greek Army plane seriously injuring the pilot, the Greek news agency reported here

The plane was taking part in operations against a big guerilla attack on Vlatsi village, the agency added .- Reuter.

OUTWARD MAILS

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Swatow and Bangkok (Sea) 1 p.m. Canton (Train) 1.30 p.m. Shanghal, Stralts, Keelung (Sea) 3 p.m. Ordinary letters and cards only for

Japan (Sea) 3 p.m. Kongmoon, Maçao, Tsinshan and Shekki (Sea) 4 p.m.
Canton (Train) 5 p.m.
Saigon, Singapore, Batavia, Colombo,
Sydney, Auckland and London (Air) 3.30

p.m.
Amoy, Shanghai, Nanking, Hankow,
Tsingtae and Peiping (Air) 3.30 p.m.
Liuchow, Kunming, Canton, Foochow,
Holhow only (Air) 3.30 p.m.
Tuesday, June 24 Canada via Vancouver B.C. (Sea) 10

Shanghal (Sea) 10 a.m.
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Canton (Train) 1.30 p.m.
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Sandakan, Australia and New Zealand via Bydney (Sea) 3 p.m. Bingapore, Sydney, Sourabaya, Colombo and Auckland (Air) 3.30 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy, Canton, Kweilin and
Chungking (Air) 3.30 p.m.
Wednesday, June 25

Canada (Air) 10 a.m. Sandakan B.N.B. (Sea) 2 p.m. Shanghal (Sea) 3 p.m. Basea, Cairo, Johannesburg, Augusta, Marsellles and London (Air) 3.30 p.m.

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Communists Drop Demand

Budapest, June 22.
The Communist Party has dropped

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slate in the autumn election and an

end to individual Party lists, the

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An official White Paper on the

Hungarian conspiracy was published

today. Most of the 100-page docu-

ment consists of history and de-

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